



Town of Ignacio Newsletter

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Southern Ute Montessori Head Start (HS) and Early Head Start (EHS)

Enrolling NOW for the 2015-16 School Year!! Serving children 3-5 years old (HS) and children 6 weeks-3 years old (EHS), including children with special needs. We also serve pregnant women. **FREE OF CHARGE**, regardless of income, for all qualifying families. All ethnicities welcome. Qualifying families must live within the exterior boundaries of the Southern Ute Indian Reservation and the Ignacio School District, or in the following section of Bayfield: south of Highway 160 between CR 509 and CR 526/523. Call now at [970-563-4566](tel:970-563-4566) to speak with a Family Advocate.

Code Red Alerting System

Have you registered your cell or internet phone with 911?

Please register your cell phone or VoIP phone to your address.

CODE RED Alerting System will be used by your local emergency response team in the event of Emergency situations or Critical Community Alerts.

To register, go to:

www.co.lapлата.co.us/emergency

Or

www.durangogov.org/codered

Upcoming Events

- **Town Board Meeting, Wed, June 3 is cancelled.**
- **Planning Commission Meeting Wed, June 10, 6:00 pm. Town Hall**
- **Town Board Meeting, 7pm Wed, June 17. Town Hall**
- **Chamber of Commerce Meeting Wed, July 1, 8am. Sky Ute Casino**
- **Fourth of July weekend Town Hall will be closed on Friday July 3.**

Happy
Father's
Day

Sunday June 21st

2014 WATER QUALITY REPORTS ARE NOW AVAILABLE! THEY ARE POSTED ONLINE AT WWW.TOWNOFIGNACIO.COM, TOWN HALL, THE US POST OFFICE, AND THE TOWN OF IGNACIO PUBLIC LIBRARY



BOARD OF TRUSTEE VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT

The Town of Ignacio is announcing a vacancy on the Board of Trustees. Anyone interested on serving as a Trustee on the Board must file a Town of Ignacio Board or Commission Application Form with the Town Clerk at Town Hall by Friday, June 12, 2015 at 5:00 p.m. You must be 18 years of age, a registered voter and a resident of the Town of Ignacio for the past 12 consecutive months. An appointment may be made by the Board of Trustees at the Wednesday, June 17, 2015 meeting. The appointment will be until the next regular election on April 5 2016. The Board of Trustees meets the first and third Wednesday of every month at 7:00 p.m. Applications can be found on the Town's website at www.townofignacio.com or at the Town Hall at 540 Goddard Avenue.



Weeds!



Per the Town of Ignacio Municipal Code Chapter 7, section 5-1 "It shall be unlawful for the owner, agent, lessee or occupant of any lots, tracts or parcels of land within the Town to allow weeds, grass, bushes, deleterious, noxious or unhealthy growths to lie, grow or be located upon any such property or along any street or avenue adjoining such property between the property line and the curb..."

Please ensure your property is complying with the Town Municipal Code, if you have questions, please call 970-563-9494

Flag Day



June 14, 2015

Flag Day, also called National Flag Day, in the United States, is a day honoring the adoption of the national flag. It commemorates the date in 1777 when Congress approved the design for the first national flag.

The idea for a holiday to honor the national flag was proposed by a Bernard J. Cigrand, a schoolteacher, in 1855. In 1916, President Woodrow Wilson issued a proclamation that officially established June 14 as Flag Day and in August 1949, National Flag Day was established by an Act of Congress.



Gas Message

If you smell natural gas in your home or business please leave immediately!



Leave light switches alone **especially** in the area you smell gas. **WAIT to use your cell phone until you can no longer smell any gas.** Call 911, the Fire Department at 563-9501, or Dispatch at 563-4401 if you smell gas at any time.

La Plata County Free Legal Clinic at the Ignacio Public Library Friday, May 9 2pm—5pm. Due to high demand they have a requirement that clinic patrons be added to the sign-up list by calling the Ignacio Library at (970) 563-9287.

The Town of Ignacio is seeking one permanent and **two alternate members for the Planning Commission.** If you are interested, please fill out a commission application and drop it off at Town Hall, 540 Goddard. This is an unpaid commission, but vital to the continued growth of our fair town! You must be 18 years of age and a current resident of Ignacio for at least one year. Applications are available online at www.townofignacio.com on the forms page or at Town Hall.

Mensaje de Gas

Si huele gas natural en su casa o negocio, por favor salga inmediatamente, sin pagar los interruptores de las luces, especialmente en el área que se siente olor a gas. **ESPERAR** a usar su teléfono celular hasta que ya no pueda oler el gas. Llame al número local de emergencias (911, el Departamento de Bomberos al teléfono 563-9501, 563-4401 o diligencia si siente olor a gas en cualquier momento

Stay Hydrated



Because high altitude air is dryer and has lower air pressure (especially elevations of 8000 feet and above) moisture evaporates quickly from your skin.

Carry water wherever you go and drink often. Pay attention to your body's signals and perhaps drink a little more than you think you need. Never ignore your thirst. (A headache is a sign of dehydration.)

Consume foods with high water content. If you feel like you cannot drink enough water, focus on consuming water lush fruits and vegetables.

Avoid excessive amounts of caffeine. Caffeine is a diuretic and may inhibit your body's water absorption. Try to limit liquid intake to mostly plain water.